Minutes of the

City Commission for the City of Traverse City

Special Meeting

October 24, 2016

A special meeting of the City Commission of the City of Traverse City was called to order at the Commission Chambers, Governmental Center, 400 Boardman Avenue, Traverse City, Michigan, at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Jim Carruthers, Mayor Pro Tem Ross Richardson, Brian Haas, Gary Howe, Richard I. Lewis, Amy Shamroe, and Tim Werner.

The following Commissioners were absent: None.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Mayor Jim Carruthers presided at the meeting.

Topics of Discussion:

1.

Discussion regarding the status of the sidewalk gap and infill projects.

The following addressed the Commission:

Marty Colburn, City Manager

2.

Consideration of adopting a Resolution of Support for the Safe Routes to School Program.

The following addressed the Commission:

Marty Colburn, City Manager
Russell Soyring, City Planning Director

Missy Luick, Planning and Engineering Assistant

Moved by Lewis, seconded by Shamroe, that the Resolution of Support for Safe Routes to School Program, be adopted.

Benjamin Marentette, City Clerk
Rick Buckhalter, 932 Kelley Street
Ty Schmidt, 841 Washington Street
Justin Reid, 630 Cottageview Drive, Apartment 1B
LaVern Broughton, 611 Hastings Street

CARRIED unanimously.

Timothy Lodge, City Engineer

3.

Presentation regarding BATA: who they are and what they do.

Kelly Dunham, BATA Executive Director
Eric Lingur, BATA Communications Manager

4.

Announcements from the City Clerk.

The following addressed the Commission:

Benjamin Marentette, City Clerk
Marty Colburn, City Manager

5.

The next item being "Public Comment," the following individuals addressed the Commission:

Chris Maxbauer, 503 West Eighth Street, Grand Traverse County

Commissioner
Rick Buckhalter, 932 Kelley Street
Jim Tuller, Fire Chief
Commissioner Tim Werner

There being no objection, Mayor Carruthers declared the meeting adjourned at 9:12 p.m.

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Benjamin C Marentette, MMC
City Clerk

Approved: _____, _____
      (Date)   (Initials)